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 Applicant's failure to timely file a proper reply to the Office (a) A reply was received on (with a Certificate of N period for reply (including a total extension of time of b) A proposed reply was received on, but it does 	Mailing or Transmission dated month(s)) which expired on	··	
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(d) ☑ No reply has been received.			
 2. Applicant's failure to timely pay the required issue fee and from the mailing date of the Notice of Allowance (PTOL-8 (a) The issue fee and publication fee, if applicable, was), which is after the expiration of the statutory per Allowance (PTOL-85). 	5). s received on (with a Certifica	ate of Mailing or Transmission dated	
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6. The decision by the Board of Patent Appeals and Interference of the decision has expired and there are no allowed clair		e the period for seeking court review	
7. The reason(s) below:			
From a telephone interview with Mr. James A. Henr	ricks on June 19, 2008, the case i	s abandoned.	
	/Madeleine AV Nguyen/ Primary Examiner, Art Uni	t 2625	
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